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SERIAL NO.: 10/581,866                           )  
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FOR: Method for the Treatment and Long Term )  
      Preservation of Meat Products without a )  
      Cold Chain                                     )  
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ATTORNEY    )  
DOCKET NO.: 108728.00001                         )

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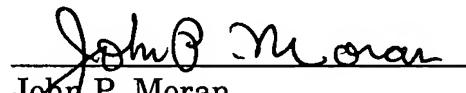
This is in response to the Notification to File Missing Requirements dated 03/12/2007 with regard to the above-referenced application. In response thereto, submitted herewith are the following documents:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney signed and dated 05/10/2007
2. Check in the amount of \$130; and
3. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/05/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/05/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/05/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/05/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/05/2006
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- Priority Documents filed on 06/05/2006

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**DOCKETED**  
 Date: 3/13/07  
 By: ML

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below:

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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